

Benjamin H. Latrobe to Thomas Jefferson, November 30, 1808, from Thomas Jefferson and the National Capital. Edited by Saul K. Padover.

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Wednesday Nov. 30th. 1808

Sir

The impossibility in the present hurry of the Post Office of

Location of land of the Original Proprietors.

Study for the President's Hous?

about 1792 —12# x 20³/₄#.

Study for section of President's House—Drawn by Jeffers

Jefferson Coolidge Collection)—Fine Arts Division, Library of Congress—30¹/₄# x 21#.

Washing

Manorial Estates.

Building Regulations issued by President Washington.

ascertaining correctly the balances of the appropriations & indeed the variation hourly taking place in them by the payment of accounts, induced me to alter in the Report the passage relating to them, & to state merely that *they were so nearly exhausted that the*

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Work must soon close and Workmen be discharged unless the legislature should proceed further towards the completion of the public Works. Mr. Munroe has 3.700 still in hand.

Yours B H Latrobe

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES

[Ms., *Jefferson Papers*, Library of Congress.]